

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
CRIMINAL MINUTES – ARRAIGNMENT

Case No. 5:25-cr-00198-KK-3Date: 6/17/2025

Present: The Honorable: Michael B. Kaufman, United States Magistrate Judge

Interpreter Javier VillalobosLanguage Spanish

James Munoz

06/17/2025

Alix Sandman

*Deputy Clerk**Court Reporter / Recorder**Assistant U.S. Attorney*U.S.A. v. Defendant(s)  Present In CustodyAttorneys for Defendants:  Present DFPD

Pablo Raul Lugo Larroig

Kyra Kristine Nickell

**Proceedings: Arraignment of  
Defendant and/or**  **Assignment of Case**  
**Initial Appearance**

**Appointment of Counsel**

- \* Defendant is arraigned and the Court does not question defendant as to true name.
- \* Defendant acknowledges having read the Indictment and discussed it with counsel.
- \* Defendant pleads "not guilty" to all counts of the Indictment.
- \* This case is assigned to Judge Kenly Kiya Kato.
- \* It is ordered that the following dates and times are set: Jury Trial: 8/11/2025 8:30 AM; Pre-Trial Conference: 7/24/2025 1:30 PM; Motion Hearing: 7/24/2025 1:30 PM
- \* Government counsel provides trial estimate of 2 - 3 days.
- \* The parties are referred to Judge Kato's Procedures and Schedules to obtain a copy of the judge's discovery order located on the Court's website at [www.cacd.uscourts.gov](http://www.cacd.uscourts.gov). For cases with previously assigned co-defendant(s), the parties are referred to the docket to review Judge Kato's criminal standing order, previously issued upon the first arraignment.

Judge Kato is located in 3, Riverside - George E. Brown, Jr. United States Courthouse, 3470 Twelfth Street, CA 92501-3801.

cc:      PSALA                          PSAED  
 USMLA                          USMED  
          Statistics Clerk  
          CJA Supervising Attorney

PSASA                                  USMSA  
          Interpreter  
          Fiscal

**Initial Appearance/Appointment of Counsel:** 00 : 03  
**Arraignment:** 00 : 03  
**Initials of Deputy Clerk:** JM by NN